



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

Eastern Region Office

4601 North Monroe St., Spokane, WA 99205-1295 • 509-329-3400

December 22, 2023

Paul Stenhouse  
Group 14 Technologies, Inc.  
13431 Wheeler Road NE  
Moses Lake, Washington 98837

RE: New State Waste Discharge (SWD) Permit Application - Permit No. ST0501350  
– Group 14 Technologies, Inc.

Dear Paul Stenhouse:

Thank you for submitting an application for a new SWD permit. The Department of Ecology (Ecology) received the application on October 10, 2023.

Before Ecology can begin the application process and begin drafting the permit, we are required to collect a one-time permit application fee for new dischargers. Enclosed is an application fee invoice. The fee to complete the processing of your permit application is **\$7,815.00**. After you receive a final permit, your annual permit fee will be **\$31,260.00**. The permit fee system funds Ecology's permit program based on expenses incurred for the issuance and comprehensive administration of the permits.

For fee related questions, visit our [permit fee website](https://ecology.wa.gov/Water-Shorelines/Water-quality/Water-quality-permits/Fees) at <https://ecology.wa.gov/Water-Shorelines/Water-quality/Water-quality-permits/Fees> or call 1 (800) 633-6193 (option 2). The fee is due 45-days from the invoice date.

Once we receive your application fee, we will publish a legal notice in the local newspaper of record that announces your application and required 30-day comment period. As Ecology drafts the permit, your permit manager may contact you with questions or request a visit to your facility.

Please contact Pat Hallinan, the permit manager for Group 14 Technologies at (509) 329-3500 or by email at [phal461@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:phal461@ecy.wa.gov) if you have questions about our review of the application or the permitting process.

Sincerely,

Shara Joy  
Water Quality Program  
Eastern Regional Office



SJ:sj

Enclosures

cc: Don Kersey, Group 14 Technologies

Ecology/Permit Fee Unit

Ecology Fiscal Office

Pat Hallinan, WQP Permit Manager, Ecology Eastern Region

Art Jenkins, PE, WQP Management Permit Unit Supervisor, Ecology Eastern Region



Mail Date: December 19, 2023



Permit Number: ST0501350  
ATTN: PAUL STENHOUSE

Application Invoice  
Water Quality Program

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GROUP 14 TECHNOLOGIES INC  
13431 WHEELER ROAD NE  
MOSES LAKE WA 98837-9259

FY 2024 Annual Fee base	\$31,260.00
FY 2024 Application Fee	\$7,815.00
Total Due	\$7,815.00

Invoice Number	Mail Date	Billed	Paid	Due	Due Date
24-ST0501350-1	12/19/2023	\$7,815.00	\$0.00	\$7,815.00	02/02/2024

Application Fee Calculation is 25% of Annual Fee base or \$250 , whichever is greater.

<p>Please send check or money order in US currency payable to</p> <p>WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY</p> <p>(DO NOT SEND CASH)</p>	<p>Mail the payment with the payment voucher / coupon to:</p> <p>Washington State Department of Ecology Cashiering Unit PO BOX 47611 Olympia, WA 98504-7611</p>
<p>You can pay via credit card (convenience fees apply) or echeck at <a href="https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/eceopay/">https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/eceopay/</a></p> <p>Questions? Direct questions regarding the permit fee assessment to the Water Quality Fee Unit at (800) 633-6193 /Option 2 or via email at <a href="mailto:wqfeeunit@ecy.wa.gov">wqfeeunit@ecy.wa.gov</a></p>	

-----Detach and return this payment voucher with your check or money order.-----

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Invoice	24-ST0501350-1	Total Amount Due	\$7,815.00
		Coding	176-WWDA-02-86-000197

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Mail payment to  
Washington State Department of Ecology  
Cashiering Unit  
PO BOX 47611  
Olympia, WA 98504-7611



You have a right to appeal this action. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 173-224-100 WAC.  
To appeal, you must do the following:

- Submit your appeal to the Water Quality Fee Unit no later than the fiscal year's first billing due date.
- State the reason(s) you believe the Department's determination is contrary to the requirements of Chapter 90.48.465 RCW and the specific actions you request that are consistent with those requirements.

